

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 324
By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Nikki Young, 2005 Co-Valedictorian of Sequatchie County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Nikki Young is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Sequatchie County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Young has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Nikki Young has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, as a result of her exceptional success in the classroom, Ms. Young has been named an All-American Scholar of Math and been awarded a Presidential Scholarship from Middle Tennessee State University and a Hope Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, throughout her high school career, Nikki Young has balanced her pursuit of academic excellence with participation in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Student Council, which she served as President; the Leo Lion's Club, which she served as Treasurer; the National Beta Club; Pep Club; and the softball, basketball, and cross country teams; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Young's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Nikki Young's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, J.D. and Cindy Young, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Nikki Young's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Sequatchie County High School Co-Valedictorian, Nikki Young, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.